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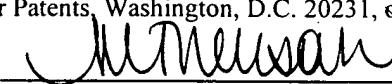
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Applicant(s): McCluskie, et al.
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

This amendment supplements that sent by Applicants on December 20, 2001. Specifically, a signed version of the Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.131 of Heather L. Davis submitted with the last amendment is submitted herewith.

Remarks

Applicants have corroborating evidence to support the Declaration and are in the process of summarizing such evidence. This evidence will be submitted to the Examiner along with another Declaration from Heather L. Davis.

Summary

Applicants believe that each of the pending claims is in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner telephone Applicants' agent in the event that the claims are not found to be in condition for allowance.

If the Examiner has any questions and believes that a telephone conference with Applicants' agent would prove helpful in expediting the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is urged to call the undersigned at (617) 720-3500 (extension 266).

Respectfully submitted,

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